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GOING AWAY?

When you leave the city for your summer vacation have The Pensacola Journal follow you. Notify circulation manager, Phone 38.

The real battle of the Russo-Jap campaign is due to commence in Portsmouth to-day.

According to Bradstreet's the total funded debt of the Russian government is \$3,250,000,000.

Cuba is now in the foremost rank of republics. She already has a healthy treasury deficit.

Since Madam Stegomyia became so prominent peek-a-boo articles of wearing apparel have become unpopular.

It is reported that Vice President Fairbanks actually "warmed up" at St. Louis, Mo.—Age Herald.

And the effect was an attack of acute indigestion. Wonder what he "warmed up" on?

Thirteen engineers will meet next month in Washington to consider the problems presented in the construction of the Panama canal. The government should either fire one or add another. Thirteen is a Jonah.

Our Southern Home, published at Laurel Hill by Eric Von Axelsson has been changed from a monthly to a weekly paper. Laurel Hill is growing fast and is well able to support a first-class weekly, such as Mr. Von Axelsson will undoubtedly give it. The venture has The Journal's best wishes for success.

The Arcadia News evidently takes a decidedly yellow view of the situation, as it remarks "Yellow seems to be the prevailing color these days. Yellow fever in New Orleans, yellow journalism in New York, yellow jaundice in Arkansas, while the whole world is busily discussing the 'yellow peril' in the Far East."

MEMORIAL FOR THE BENNINGTON VICTIMS.

A number of suggestions have been made for a suitable memorial to the officers and men who lost their lives in the Bennington disaster at San Diego, California, one made by a Mr. Hall through the San Diego-Sun being particularly appropriate. Whether it is practicable or not will, of course, largely depend upon a survey of the vessel to ascertain the extent of the damage and the possibility of refitting her for use as a gunboat. The Sun refers to the suggestion and comments thereon as follows:

Mr. Hall's idea, as expressed, is that the Bennington be dismantled and emptied of its machinery, and that the hull be fitted up as a floating hospital or club house for sailors, and permanently stationed in the harbor. It appears to us that no better suggestion could possibly be made than is here presented. Of course this involves the necessity of securing the gunboat from the navy, but as the ship, according to official plans as announced, has long been marked for retirement from active service on account of age and unfitness, it is believed the consent of the naval officials could easily be obtained. The Bennington is now held to be something more than a ship in many grief-stricken homes in this land, and sentiment, the force which really governs the civilized world, demands that she be made something more than a mere ship. Her conversion into a floating hospital and a rest place and home for sailors would most fittingly meet the requirements of the case. Such a turn would also show, more clearly than would be possible in any other manner, that the American people, officially and privately, appreciate and so far as is in their power will recompense in a practical way those who risk their lives in the country's service.

It is believed the Bennington, when put out of commission, can be secured by the citizens of San Diego to be permanently docked here, and if this can be done it is believed that the best possible memorial would be to fit it up as a sailor's hospital, home and club house, where all who come into the harbor may find a rest place and national entertainment of their own choice.

ADVENTURE AND "AD-VENTURE."

No store in this city—none anywhere—has ever grown to its full stature, achieved real success, until its owner has yielded to the spirit of "ad-venture," and has ADVERTISED MORE THAN HE COULD AFFORD TO!

Every successful man, in any line of human effort, has found it necessary, at times, to break every law in the "Code of Caution." If Peary finds the Pole it will be because he risked more than he "could afford to."

Modern conditions of life have developed in the race as great a love of "ad-venture" as our forefathers had for adventure—and the same tingle of the blood which came to the fathers in the victories of pioneering comes, nowadays, to the business man who has rescued his enterprise from peril.

It was the spirit of adventure which enabled the first Astor to establish a fur-trading station in the far and perilous Northwest—and it is the spirit of "ad-venture" which induces the modern trader to try to establish a store in a field where competition dwarfs him.

The store-keeper of to-day is often in competition with houses boasting "working capitals" larger than his entire assets. His chances are small—unless prosperity has somewhat dulled the enthusiasm of the big fellows—unless they imagine that they are big enough to omit advertising now and then. In such event the smaller merchant finds his tide at the flood—his opportunity not only ready to be grasped, but almost ready to grasp him.

On the day when the small merchant advertises more than he can "afford to," and the big merchant less than he should—less than he MUST, even to hold his place in the race—the small merchant has "taken a trick" in the game, gained a rung on the ladder; and is strengthened for the next trial of strategy.

The Journal Printed During July, 1905, a Total of

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The following figures show The Pensacola Journal's circulation for each day during the month of July, 1905, with the average number of copies daily:

July 1	4,250	July 16	4,500
July 2	4,500	July 17	4,500
July 3	4,500	July 18	4,200
July 4	4,250	July 19	4,900
July 5	4,250	July 20	4,425
July 6	4,250	July 21	4,200
July 7	4,250	July 22	4,300
July 8	4,250	July 23	4,450
July 9	4,500	July 24	4,500
July 10	4,500	July 25	4,300
July 11	4,250	July 26	4,300
July 12	4,250	July 27	4,300
July 13	4,250	July 28	4,300
July 14	4,250	July 29	4,350
July 15	4,250	July 30	4,600
Total for the month	112,875		
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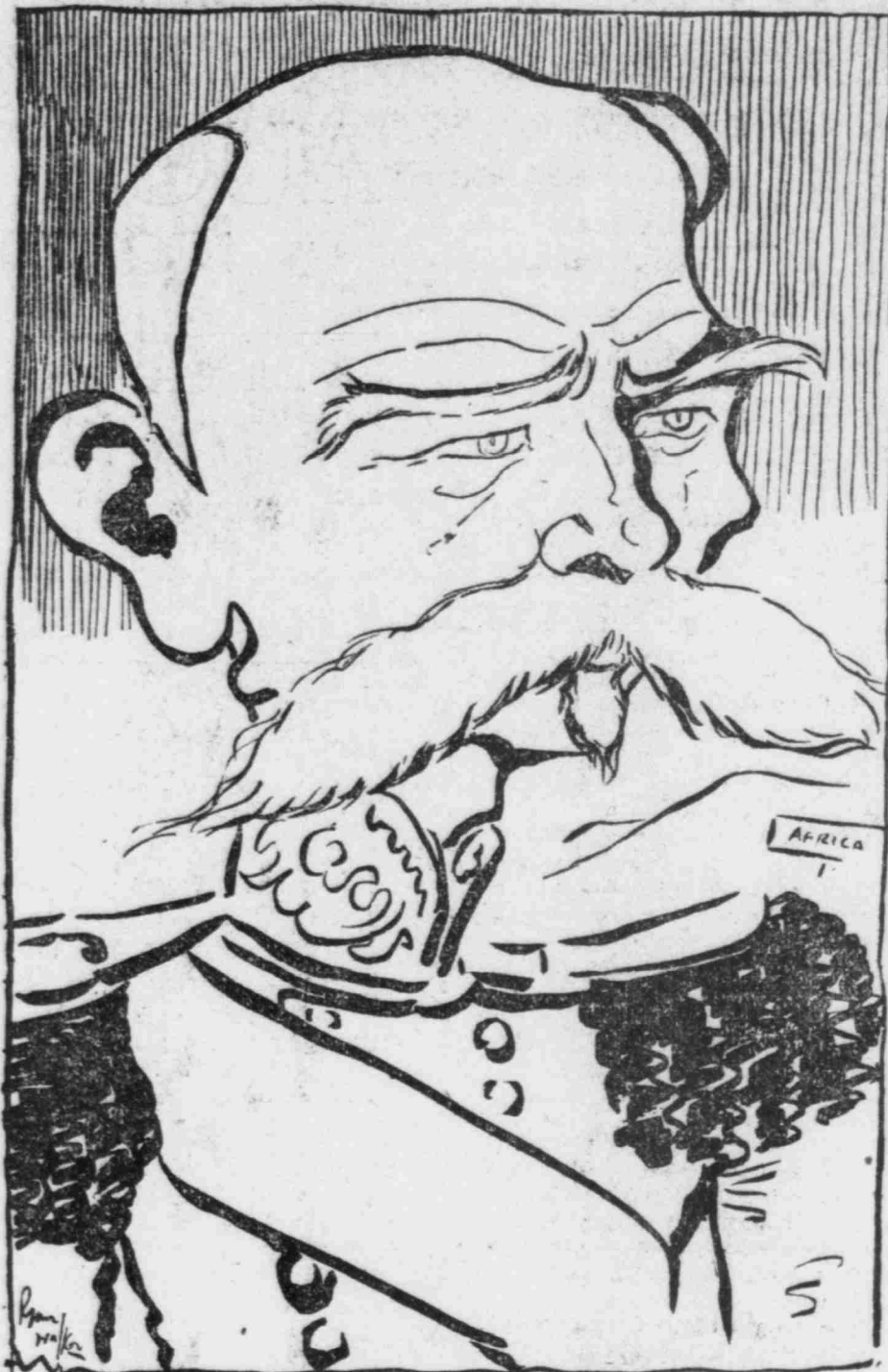
I hereby certify that the above statement is correct according to the records on file in this office.

FRED A. SWEET,
Circulation Mgr.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 31st day of July, 1905.

J. P. STOKES,
Notary Public.

Caricature Sketch of Field Marshal Lord Roberts



Lord Roberts's recent declaration that the British Army was not fit for war is arousing much discussion in England. It is said that he will visit the United States soon.

THE RECENT CIRCULAR OF SUPT. HOLLOWAY.

Lake City Index.

HOW TO FIGHT THE MOSQUITOES.

Mobile Register.

State School Superintendent Holloway is being criticized, in some quarters, on account of a circular recently sent out by him from Tallahassee, under date of July 14, as follows:

In the future it will be necessary to file with the State Board of Education an application for state aid in every instance, whether for the first time or as a renewal for the same.

For your guidance in making these applications, I submit the following regulation, which does not appear in the standard course of study:

(a) That the board will adhere strictly to the regulation that aid be given no school making an average attendance of less than fifty pupils.

(b) That state aid will be granted no school unless the building in which it is taught is owned by the school authorities in fee simple, and contains at least two good recitation rooms.

(c) That state aid will not be granted after July 1, 1906, to any school unless every teacher therein holds a legal and unexpired certificate issued in Florida; the certificate of a principal of a high school must be of such grade as to show that he himself is qualified to teach any subject in the high school course of study; the principal of a rural graded school must be required to hold at least a first-grade certificate.

Do not fail to urge your teachers to attend the teachers' summer training schools, which began at Gainesville and Tallahassee last Monday. As you have already noticed, the one at Gainesville is conducted for white teachers, and the one at Tallahassee for colored teachers.

The editor of the Index had a conversation last week with Mr. Holloway and is able to furnish some additional information in reference to the circular.

It is not a new rule, having been adopted by the State Board of Education, on motion of Mr. Sheets, on June 11, 1903. But it was never enforced. Mr. Holloway puts off for one year, or until July 1, 1906, the enforcement of the law that principals of senior high schools must hold a state certificate. And this is right. Certainly the head of such an institution should be able to prove that he is competent to instruct in the courses prescribed to be taught.

To illustrate: A first-grade certificate shows that the holder shall have made a total in no grade below sixty per cent; and besides passing the lower grades shall be proficient in civil government, algebra and physical geography. Whereas, the qualifications are that an applicant for a state certificate "shall have taught twenty-four months in all, eight months under a first grade certificate obtained in this state," and "shall pass an examination on geometry, trigonometry, physics, zoology, botany, Latin, rhetoric, English literature, psychology, and general history; and that the average must be not less than eighty-five, with nothing less than sixty per cent. A state certificate is valid five years." This is the state law—not a rule of the superintendent.

It is a perfectly reasonable requirement, then, that a person offering to teach a senior high school must conform to the state law.

There are in Florida, at the present time, thirty senior high schools and thirty-seven teachers who hold state certificates, so that, commercially speaking, the supply is equal to the demand.

Superintendent Holloway is absolutely right in his requirements, and Florida is fortunate in having a man who will enforce the law and the rules as he finds them.

The Insanity Dodge. Williams, the Pensacola murderer, is beginning to play the insanity dodge in hopes of saving his worthless neck. We trust no insanity plea will be seriously considered by the courts for his cold-blooded deeds. If such a should be put through the process of think were capable of being done he a double execution.—Jasper News.

Ayer's Hair Vigor.

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Legal Advertisements.

Notice is hereby given that the laws prepared by me containing the names of the electors of the City of Pensacola, who are qualified to vote at the City Bond Election to be held on August 22nd, 1905, will be submitted by me to the City Council for its approval at a special meeting thereof to be held at the City Hall on August 10th, 1905, at 7 o'clock p. m.

All citizens are hereby called on to show cause, if any they can, at said time and place why the said lists as prepared and submitted by me should not be approved by the Council.

This notice will be published daily for the space of three days after the date hereof, and during the time of said publication and until the 10th day of August, 1905, the said registration lists will remain for public inspection at my office, number 12 East Government street.

Dated Pensacola, Fla., Aug. 5th, 1905. GEO. S. HALLMARK,
Register for City Bond Election.
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Bond Election Proclamation.

Whereas, The Council of the City of Pensacola did on the 19th day of July, 1905, pass an ordinance, entitled: "An ordinance to provide for the issuance of Bonds of the City of Pensacola, Florida, under and by virtue of an Act of the Legislature of the State of Florida, entitled: An Act to authorize the City of Pensacola to issue negotiable bonds for municipal purposes, and provide for the payment thereof, approved May 12th, 1905," which said ordinance was approved by me on the 19th day of July, 1905;

Now, therefore, I, Chas. H. Bliss, Mayor of the City of Pensacola, pursuant to the provisions of said ordinance, do hereby call an election to be held in said City on the 22nd day of August, 1905, to determine whether, or not, the majority of the qualified electors of said City, qualified to vote, and voting, at said election shall approve the issuance of bonds for the purposes and amounts, or any of them, enumerated in said ordinance, to-wit: For the purpose of purchasing, or constructing, waterworks the sum of Two Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$250,000), or so much thereof as may be necessary.

For the purpose of constructing, or providing a system of sewerage and drainage the sum of Two Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$250,000), or so much thereof as may be necessary.

For the purpose of paving and otherwise improving streets and public ways of the city the sum of One Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$150,000), or so much thereof as may be necessary.

For the purpose of purchasing a site and constructing, or providing a city hall building the sum of Seventy-Five Thousand Dollars (\$75,000), or so much thereof as may be necessary.

For the purpose of purchasing a site and constructing, or providing a Police Station and Jail Building the sum of Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000), or so much thereof as may be necessary.

And notice is hereby given that the Council has duly elected the following Board of Bond Trustees, viz: F. C. Brent for the term of three years, L. Hilton Green for the term of two years, and J. M. Pfeiffer for the term of one year.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand, and caused the corporate seal of the City of Pensacola to be affixed, this 1st day of August, 1905.

CHAS. H. BLISS,
Mayor City of Pensacola.
Attest: B. S. BERNARD, City Clerk.

Notice to House Owners.

The code of ordinances of the City of Pensacola requires that all houses fronting upon streets shall be numbered, and provides that it shall be unlawful to omit to number any house as required. All numbers shall be painted upon the front of the building to be numbered or upon metal, a plate not less than 3x6 inches, securely attached to the building. All buildings shall be numbered within 60 days after the erection thereof.

Notice is hereby given that house owners will be required to conform with these ordinances. Owners of property may learn their correct numbers by applying to the City Clerk.

Attest: CHAS. H. BLISS,
B. S. BERNARD, Mayor.
Clerk.

Pensacola, Fla., July 17, 1905.

In Escambia County Circuit Court, State of Florida, In Chancery—Ebel Franklin vs. Dorsey Franklin.

On Monday, the 4th day of September, A. D. 1905, the defendant, Dorsey Franklin, is hereby required to appear to the bill filed against him herein.

This order to be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in The Pensacola Journal, a newspaper published in said Escambia county.

[Seal] A. M. McMillan,
Clerk Circuit Court.

By L. G. AYMAR, D. G.
Pensacola, Fla., July 24, 1905.
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